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August 1, 2000

Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Re:

Amtrak Trust 2000-E

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Lease of Railroad Equipment (Amtrak 2000-E) dated as of August 1, 2000, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents and two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Loan and Security Agreement (Amtrak 2000-E) dated as of August 1, 2000, a secondary document related thereto.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Lessor and

Wilmington Trust Company

Trustee:

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, Delaware 19801

Lessee:

National Railroad Passenger Corporation

60 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E.

Washington, D.C. 20002

Lender:

AME Investments, LLC

c/o Ambac Capital Corp.

One Street Plaza

New York, New York 10004

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

11 coach class railcars within the series AMTK 82504 - AMTK 82515 6 Superliner Baggage coaches within series AMTK 31016 - AMTK 31044

A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows:

Lease of Equipment between Wilmington Trust Company, Lessor, and Amtrak, Lessee covering 11 coach class railcars within the series AMTK 82504 - AMTK 82515 and 6 Superliner Baggage coaches within series AMTK 31016 - AMTK 31044.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$26.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee and cross indexing fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

RWA/anm Enclosures

WHEREAS, the Lessor and the Lessee have entered into that certain Lease of Railroad Equipment (Amtrak Trust 2000-E) dated as of August ______, 2000 (the "Lease") and that certain Lease Supplement No. 1 (Amtrak Trust 2000-E) dated as of August _______, 2000 ("Supplement No. 1") (the terms of each of which are incorporated herein by reference), covering the railroad equipment identified in Schedule A hereto, bearing the equipment numbers of the Lessee shown in said Schedule A, and all additions and alterations thereof, replacements thereof and substitutions therefor;

WHEREAS, the Lease and Supplement No. 1 shall be effective as of the Closing Date (as defined in the Lease); and

WHEREAS, this memorandum may be executed in any number of counterparts, each executed counterpart constituting an original but all together only one such memorandum.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties wish to show for the public record the ownership of the said railroad equipment by the Lessor, and the leasehold interest therein of the Lessee, and accordingly have caused this memorandum to be executed by their officers thereunto duly authorized, as of the date first above written.

Title:

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Trustee, as aforesaid

By: Anita Dallago
Title Financial Services Officer

NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER
CORPORATION

By: Name:

STATE OF DELAWARE)) ss.:
COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE)
Anita E. Dailago day of, 2000, before me personally appeared that he/she is of WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, and that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of said Delaware banking corporation by authority of its board of directors, and he/she acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said association.
Matery Public
ANTINEEN A. PEDELINI
My Commission Expires: NOTARY PUBLIC-DELAWARE My Commission Expires Oct. 31, 2002
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA) ss.:
On this day of, 2000, before me personally appeared Carol J. Dillon, to me personally known, who, by me being duly sworn, says that she is the Treasurer of NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER CORPORATION, that the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its board of directors, and she acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.
Notary Public
My Commission Expires:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties wish to show for the public record the ownership of the said railroad equipment by the Lessor, and the leasehold interest therein of the Lessee, and accordingly have caused this memorandum to be executed by their officers thereunto duly authorized, as of the date first above written.

By:

Title:

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Trustee, as aforesaid

By:

Name:
Title:

NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER
CORPORATION

measurer

STATE OF DELAWARE)	
) ss.: COUNTY OF NEW CASTLE)	
On this day of, to me personally k that he/she is of WII the foregoing instrument was signed on behalf of authority of its board of directors, and he/she acknow instrument was the free act and deed of said association.	wledged that the execution of the foregoing
<u>-</u>	Notary Public
My Commission Expires:	
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA) ss.:	
On this 26 day of July Carol J. Dillon, to me personally known, who, by Treasurer of NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENG instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation she acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing said corporation.	GER CORPORATION, that the foregoing n by authority of its board of directors, and
	John Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 2/14/05	notary rubiic

Schedule A to Memorandum of Lease

(AMTRAK TRUST 2000-E)

DESCRIPTION OF UNITS

Lot 1

Amtrak Equipment Number	Equipment Type	
82504	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82505	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82506	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82507	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82509	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82510	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82511	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82512	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82513	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82514	Amfleet I	Coach Class
82515	Amfleet I	Coach Class

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Schedule A to Memorandum of Lease

Lot 2

Amtrak Equipment		
<u>Number</u>	Equipment Type	
31016	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach
31021	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach
31028	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach
31034	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach
31042	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach
31044	Superliner I	Superliner Baggage Coach